Lakenheath-Feltwell Community

PTSA meeting

The Liberty Intermediate School's first Parent-Teacher-Student Association general assembly meeting is 5:30 p.m. Thursday. For more information, call Tiia Bullen at (01638) 532264.

Bike rodeo

The RAF Mildenhall and Lakenheath Security Forces will sponsor a bicycle rodeo Saturday from noon to 4 p.m. in the Lakenheath Elementary School parking lot. The event is free and certificates will be awarded for completion. Participants should bring their bikes and helmets. Parental permission is required for bicycle engraving. The rodeo is part of an Eagle Scout project. For more information, call Aaron Howell at (01638) 532159.

Ely Thanksgiving service

The Ely Cathedral Thanksgiving service is 7 p.m. Nov. 26. The pre-service musical program starts at 6:30 p.m. A reception and dessert social follows the service.

Anyone interested in contributing desserts should drop them off at the chapel by noon Nov. 26. For more information or to volunteer for the reception committee, call Chap. (Capt.) Cherri Wheeler at Ext. 3711.

Well-baby dental program

Children under 3 years old can be seen by the pediatric dentist from 8 - 11 a.m. Nov. 17, Dec. 1 and Dec. 15 at the RAF Lakenheath Community Activities Center. No appointment is necessary. Children will receive an exam, cleaning, fluoride treatment and oral hygiene instructions.

The Air Force Services for the Exceptional Child will be available during the same times to perform developmental screening of children and answer parents' questions. For more information, call Lt. Col. Jeff Mabry at Ext. 5665 or 2976.

Mailing deadlines

Following are the deadlines for mailing packages to the United States:

 \square Nov. 21 – SAM parcels

☐ Dec. 3 – PAL parcels

☐ Dec. 12 – Priority parcels and first class

letters

☐ Dec. 19 – Express mail

Lancer boosters

The next high school booster club meeting is at 5 p.m. Thursday at the high school in porta-cabin K.

AFA meeting

The Air Force Association U.K. chapter will hold its monthly meeting at breakfast from 7 - 8 a.m. Nov. 18 in the officers' club Liberty Room. The cost for breakfast is \$6.50. Reservations must be made by Thursday. For more information, call Maj. Jenni Hesterman, Ext. 4772, TSgt. Todd Edeker, Ext. 4500, TSgt. Ed Ford, Ext. 4233, TSgt. Tom Woollard, Ext. 4233, or Steve Michael, Ext. 5078.

Self-help center

The 48th Civil Engineer Squadron self-help center will be closed from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday due to a power outage. Normal operating hours will resume at 3 p.m.

Library computer shutdown

The computer room in the base library will be closed Nov. 11 - 13 for upgrades to the local area network. For more information, call Ext. 3713.

Speakers and tour guides

The 48th Fighter Wing public affairs office seeks volunteers to be speakers in the local community and to help give base tours. Speakers can talk about any subject they have an interest in. Tour volunteers should have a flightline drivers license and a line badge. For more information, call SrA. Sarah Franco at Ext. 5639.

No dogs allowed

The RAF Lakenheath Elementary School administrators ask that people not walk their school grounds. Pet owners in base housing are liable for damage caused or injury inflicted by their pets.

Christmas trees

Area Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts will hold their annual Christmas tree sales at Field 3 behind the commissary Nov. 29 - Dec. 23. The hours will be 4 - 7 p.m. Mondays through Fridays, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturdays, and noon - 6 p.m. Sundays. The profits provide operating funds to support 10 scouting units in the local military community.

Yuletide bazaar

The RAF Mildenhall enlisted spouses' club's yuletide bazaar will be Nov. 14-16. The bazaar opens at 5:30 p.m. Nov. 14 for identification card holders. It's open to the public from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Nov. 15 and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Nov. 16. Free hourly shuttles depart from the Bob Hope Community Center Nov. 15 and 16.

Youth basketball

Registration for the RAF Mildenhall youth basketball season continues through Dec. 12. The cost is \$25 for the first child and \$20 for each additional child from the same family. Clinics will be held Dec. 22, 23, 29 and 30.

The coaches certification clinics will be held Nov. 17-18 and Nov. 24-25. The clinics are for first-time coaches who are not certified. For more information, call Gary Vicsik at Mildenhall, 89-2990.

Mountain climbing

An information meeting will be held at 6:45 p.m. Wednesday in the dental clinic conference room to discuss a January 1998 assault on Mount Kilimanjaro in Tanzania, Africa's highest peak. Interested climbers should attend this meeting. For more information, call Mike Horsley at (01638) 532411 in the evening or e-mail (horselyg@hal.dungeon.com).

Sunday school change

There will be no Protestant or Catholic Sunday school at RAF Lakenheath or RAF Feltwell Nov. 30. The normal Sunday school schedule resumes Dec. 7.

Applications accepted for AFAS education grants

By Hugh P. Henry-Pierre Air Force Aid Society officer

The Air Force Aid Society awarded \$5.5 million in Education Grants for school year 1997/1998. The Lakenheath AFAS office has been awarded 30 of those scholarships totaling \$30,000. This is up from 21 scholarships for last year.

This grant program, named in honor of Gen. Henry H. (Hap) Arnold, was initiated by the society's trustees in 1988 in response to the rising costs associated with higher education. Since then 39,000 individual awards have been made.

The Education Grant program provides grants to sons and daughters of active duty and retired Air Force members, retired

reservists over age 60, and Title 10 reservists on extended active duty; spouses of active duty members and Title 10 reservists on extended active duty stationed in the continental U.S.; dependent sons and daughters, and surviving spouses of Air Force members deceased while on active duty or in retired status. During 1998/1999 in a program enhancement that recognizes escalating college costs, the society has increased all grants to \$1,500 for qualified applicants in all grade levels.

Applicants who do not return the required financial statement automatically disqualify themselves.

Applications for the Air Force Aid Society's 1998/1999 Education Grant Program may be obtained by contacting the Air Force Aid Society at the family support center from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays or 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Wednesdays.